# **Web Services: E-Commerce Payment Gateway**

### **Service Description:**

The State will provide a common E-commerce payment gateway at one of the consolidated data centers accessible from any agency over a secure Internet connection. This project is based upon work supported by the Louisiana Technology Innovations Fund and implements receipt of payments via credit card and ACH debits based on the State Treasury's financial agreements for payment processing. The payment gateway allows agencies to submit transactions interactively from either an online or a batch application. This service is well suited for real-time acceptance of payments using web applications. On-line reporting for accounting and reconciliation is also included in the service.

#### **Participation:**

This service is available to all Agencies that are subject to and/or that can utilize the State Treasury agreements for acceptance of electronic payments via credit cards or electronic fund transfers through the ACH network.

#### Rates:

There is no state charge for use of the payment gateway. Agencies are responsible for the cost of integrating the payment gateway interface into their application and the cost for their secure connection to the Internet. In addition, Agencies will be billed monthly by the credit card processors for the cost of processing their credit card transactions and by the State's designated financial institution for processing their ACH debit transactions. These processing costs are set by the State Treasury's agreements with the respective processors. For more information about the processing rates please contact Gary Hall at State Treasury using the Contact Information below.

#### **Time Line:**

Agencies may opt to use this service at any time. The Payment Gateway Application documentation includes a description of the application process as well as the forms to be completed to initiate the application.

# **Related Documentation:**

IT-POL-002 Centralization of Information Technology Policy

AgInfoEnrollFrm Payment Gateway Application

LPGW Website Louisiana Payment Gateway Program Information

#### **Contact Information:**

# **State Treasury Agreements**

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# **Enrollment Procedures**

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